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[COMMUNICATED.]

I have tried to reconcile my kind good neighbors to the result of the recent election; but, alas, some few of them are determined to receive not my comfort. You can all be legislators if you live long enough, and get enough votes to elect you. There is no doubt of it. Be assured there is nothing absolute in this world; all is relative. Do not allow the result of the recent election to haunt your mind like a ghost. Come over, we will not make "train guards" of you but State guards. There is plenty of room for you, and we have plenty of nice places for you. Do not, like Atlas, take the world upon your shoulders.—Dispel the matter entirely from your minds.—You voted like good loyal citizens and were beaten. You made the laws for voting; and why complain of the result of your own wisdom? Other people in the world, have just as good an opinion of themselves, as you have of yourselves. Do not, I beseech you, fret and mourn so much and stir up strife. You did your best; angels could do no more.

A well bred negro is the most polite being in the world. He meets you with deference, speaks to you with respect, and acts towards you with kindness. If contentment is the sum of happiness, he is the happiest of creatures. Being thus polite and happy, why do you persist in bringing him down from his proud position, and swamp him in the mire of the deception, misery, and vice of the white man? Then remember you are not justified in rendering a human being unhappy with his condition until you give him a purer and better one.

CONTENTMENT.

Alexandria, June 13, 1865.

A question of identity has arisen in regard to Sanford Conover, the Tribune's correspondent, who swore that he went by the name of James Watson Wallace in Canada, and, as a Southerner, wormed out of Sanders, Cleary, Clay, Thompson, and others of the alleged conspirators, their purposes in regard to President Lincoln, and also gave evidence in the St. Albans raid. An affidavit appears in the Montreal Gazette from a counsellor-at-law, stating that his name is James Watson Wallace; that he is the person who gave evidence in the St. Albans raid; that Conover is falsely personating him, and that the testimony of Conover, in his opinion, is false and unfounded in fact.

The prisoners in the various places of confinement throughout the North are being released with great rapidity. Four hundred and eighty of them—all line officers—were released from Fort Delaware on Tuesday, upwards of one hundred from Fort Warren on Monday and Tuesday, and 700; from Camp Chase and Johnson's Island left Columbus—from which place four thousand two hundred were to be despatched in six days—on their way to Louisville, Monday night.

The fly and rust have done much damage to the wheat in Orange Madison and the adjacent counties in Virginia.

MOUNT VERNON.

NOTICE.

THE POTOMAC FERRY COMPANY'S new excursion steamer **WAWASET** is now running regular trips to Mount Vernon, every **MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY**, leaving their wharf at Washington, at 10 o'clock, a. m., and Alexandria at 10½.

This fine boat can be chartered for excursions on all intermediate days, and on any evening.
je 7—30t J. VAN RISWICK.

E. S. FLEMING,

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER,

NO. 86, KING STREET,

Has constantly on hand a large and well selected stock of

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

WATCHES and JEWELRY carefully repaired and warranted.

I have also connected with my establishment a first class and experienced **ENGRAVER**, who is prepared to execute all kinds of **ENGRAVING** in the most approved styles and at the shortest notice.
my 2—1m

NOTICE.

T. A. BREWIS has this day become a partner in my business, which will hereafter be conducted under the firm of **BREWIS & DAVIS.** **HENRY F. DAVIS.**

Alexandria, June 2, 1865.

je 2—1m

ALL persons indebted to me will please come forward and make payment, and all claims against me will be paid as presented.

H. F. DAVIS.

Alexandria, June 2, 1865.

FISH.

New Potomac, Labrador, and Eastport **HERRINGS**, also No. 1, 2 and 3 **MACKEREL**, just received and for sale by

F. G. SWAINE,
No. 26 Royal Street.

je 2—tf

GREGORY & PAUL,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

GROCERIES, FLOUR AND BACON,

Nos. 27 and 29, King street,

my 1—3m ALEXANDRIA, VA.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

—The partnership formerly existing between the subscribers, under the firm of **R. H. MILLER, SON & CO.**, was dissolved on the 1st of July, 1864.

The Senior partner will attend to the settlement of any claims against the firm.

Either partner is authorized to collect the debts due the firm, and receipt for the same.

R. H. MILLER,

E. J. MILLER,

F. WESTWOOD ASHBY.

Alexandria, Va., May 24, 1865.

my 25—eo3m

FRESH DRUGS, &c.

Opium, Quinine, Camphor, Spirits Turpentine, Cream Tartar, Citric Acid, Tartaric Acid, Super Carb Soda, Oatmeal, Hops in papers, Chloroform, Nitrate Silver, Epsom Salts, Gum Arabic, Ipecacuanha, Rhubarb, Podophyllin, Liptandio, Croton Oil, Blister Plasters, Fluid Extracts, all kinds, Solid Extracts, Flor. Sulphur, Mercurial Ointment, Chip and Paper Pill Boxes, Cod Liver Oil, Calcined Magnesia, Calabaria Liqueur, Mercury, Calomel, Tartar Emetic, Acetic Acid, Sage, and Herbs of all kinds, received, and for sale by

HENRY COOK,

39, King Street.

je 5—tf

EARTHENWARE, CHINA, GLASS-

WARE, &c.

The subscriber will continue the same business heretofore carried on at No. 65, King st., where he offers a good assortment of goods in his line, and solicits a continuance of the custom of the public, and the friends of the old firm.
[my 25—eo3m] **E. J. MILLER.**

J. CLINTON MILBURN'S

FAMILY GROCERY

AND PROVISION STORE,

N. E. Corner of Royal and Cameron Streets.

(Opposite City Hotel.)

ALEXANDRIA.

Having taken the store at the above named place, formerly occupied by Samuel Miller, jr., I shall constantly keep on hand the first quality of all articles in my line, such as Fine Teas, Flour, Bacon, Dried Beef, Sugars, Coffee, Syrups, Molasses, Soaps, Starch, Saleratus, Cream Tartar, Maccaroni, Spices, Pickles in Bottles and Barrels, Preserved Fruits and Vegetables, Butter, Lard, Cheese, &c., and respectfully solicit an examination of them by my friends and the public generally. I shall sell cheap, and for Cash only.

Country Produce bought and sold.

J. CLINTON MILBURN,

Cor. Cameron and Royal streets,

je 2—1m

Opposite the Market.

BREngle's

Ice Cream Saloon,

No. 129 King Street,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

ICE CREAM, made in the best manner, will be furnished, **WHOLESALE**, to Dealers, on the most reasonable terms; or by retail, at the saloon, which is fitted up for the accommodation of ladies and gentlemen.

SODA FOUNTAINS charged and **SYRUPS**, of all varieties for sale.

A Soda Fountain is in operation at the Confectionary Store.

All the materials used in the manufacture of Ice Cream, and Soda, are of the best quality.

CAKES, CANDIES, FRUITS, AND CONFECTIONERY, of all kinds, for sale.

Families can be supplied with **ICE** at the store, 129, King street, through the week, and on Sunday at Mr. Beach's Ice House, on St. Asaph street, near the County Jail.

mh 28—tf

SODA WATER.

The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he is now prepared to supply them with

SODA WATER,

prepared in the best manner and flavored with

CHOICE FRUIT SYRUPS,

at his store, No. 224, King street.

He is also prepared to furnish retailers with Soda Water and Syrups, or the materials for preparing the same, at the lowest rates, at his store, No. 39, King street.

H. COOK.

ap 29—tf

ICE! ICE!! ICE!!!

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

We are now landing from Schooner Helen Mar, a cargo of **BOSTON ICE**. This Ice is cut from lakes, fed entirely by pure spring water, and is of very superior quality. It is but a sample of the ice with which we propose to furnish our customers during the entire season.

At considerable expense we have obtained an entire new set of wagons, and so perfected our arrangements for the delivery of ice, that all persons leaving their orders with us, may depend upon receiving their supply promptly and regularly.

Hotels, Restaurants and Steamboats supplied upon the shortest notice, and on reasonable terms, with quantities large or small.

M. ELDRIDGE & CO.,

ap 20—tf

Prince Street Wharf.

FOR SALE.

TWO FINE BUILDING LOTS, near the corner of King and Water streets. The lots are forty feet each front, and one hundred and fifty feet deep. On one of the lots there is a large warehouse, at present occupied as a Coach Factory. Apply to

HENRY COOK,

39, King Street.

my 20—tf